



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title : Method and Device for Generating a Hydrogen-Rich Gas

**REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This Reply is filed in response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2004.